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Applicant: Lafata, et al.  
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**AMENDMENT E UNDER RULE 116**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 30, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.